

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: PROJECT CONCERN

REF: STATE 274733

1. RECOMMEND IN THE STRONGEST TERMS AGAINST ANY ATTEMPT BY WOODWARD, CRONK, OR ANY OTHER REP PROJECT CONCERN TO ATTEMPT VISIT KEREN AT THIS TIME. AREA BETWEEN ASMARA AND KEREN SITE OF ALMOST CONSTANT FIGHTING BETWEEN EPMG FORCES AND INSURGENTS FOR MONTHS. ROAD FREQUENTLY MINED AND AMBUSHES OCCUR OFTEN. CONGEN COULD NOT POSSIBLY ATTEMPT ASSURE SAFETY OF ANY AMERICANS ATTEMPTING TRAVEL TO KEREN. IN ADDITION, IT EXTREMELY UNLIKELY THAT MILITARY AUTHORITIES WOULD PERMIT SUCH TRAVEL, AND I AM HESITANT TO EVEN BROACH SUBJECT WITH THEM.

2. AT LAST REPORT, THROUGH LOCAL SOURCES, PROJECT CONCERN IN KEREN HAS CONTINUED OPERATIONS. CONGEN WILL ATTEMPT OBTAIN WHATEVER INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON CURRENT STATUS PROJECT CONCERN.

3. RECOMMEND DEPARTMENT ADVISE WOODWARD AND CRONK TRAVEL AT THIS TIME TO KEREN MOST INADVISABLE, UTILIZING INFORMATION PROVIDED PARA 1 ABOVE.  
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